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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

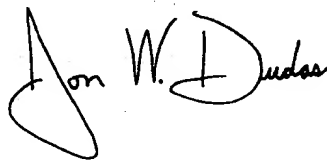
TITLE PAGE, Item (57) ABSTRACT, Line 9, "portions thereofjoined"  
should read -- portions thereof joined --

Column 16, delete Lines 13-16.

Column 16, Line 58, Claim 3, "planar plate-shated" should read -- planar plate-shaped --

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with a large, looped initial "J" and a distinct "D" at the end.

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